AND PENSIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM) : (a) and (b) No such instance has come to the notice of the Government.

(c) Does not arise.

Expunction of adverse entries about government servants

744. SHRI SHANKAR SINH VAGHELA : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that on 6th February, 1980, the Supreme Court had decided in case 376 of 1980 Union vs R. S. Grewal that time barred adverse entries about Government servants in their service records should be held unlawful and, therefore, be expunged;

(b) whether this verdict has been made applicable in the case of all Central and State Services; and

(c) if so, when and in what manner and if not, the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM) : (a) to (c) On 6-2-89, an SLP No. 376/80 was dismissed by the Supreme Court at the admission stage. The Judgement of Delhi High Court against which the SLP was filed is dated 26-9-79 and was made in LPA No. 119 of 1979. The facts of that were that the order of pre-mature retirement was passed on the basis of the recommendations of the State Government which took certain adverse entries into account, although representations against those entries were pending for a decision. The judgement of the Delhi High Court has to be understood in the context of the facts of the case and will apply to similar situations.

Financial and procedural irregularities in Kendriya Bhandar

745. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI : Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to refer to answer to Unstarred Question 1844 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 13th March, 1986 and state:

(a) result of investigations into financial and procedural irregularities in Kendriya Bhandar, New Delhi ; and

(b) the details of action taken against the guilty members of staff of the Kendriya Bhandar ?

THEMINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. CHIDAMBARAM) : (a) The CBI in its report has held one Sales & Purchase Executive responsible for irregularities in placing orders without following the prescribed procedure.

(b) On the basis of the report, disciplinary proceedings have been initiated against the delinquent official which are in progress.

Review of the implementation of 20-point Programme.

746. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI : Will the Minister of PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether implementation of the 20-Point Programme has been reviewed during the last three years;